

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN MONTHLY STATISTICS

MARCH 1956

Particulars		1956	1955
<u>VITAL</u> Births Regd.	No.	1,630	1,504
Deaths Regd.	No.	525	500
Marriages	No.	646	449
Infantile Deaths	No.	31	32
<u>BUILDING PERMITS</u>			
By Metropolitan Municipalities-			
Dwellings	No.	398	365
	£	1,290,640	1,079,315
Other New Buildings	No.	73	50
	£	903,236	1,551,013
Additions, etc.	No.	992	1,048
	£	443,292	372,341
Government	£	341,722	138,427
TOTAL VALUE	£	2,978,890	3,141,096
<u>BANKING - Clearings - Weekly</u>			
Averages Savings Banks Deposits-	£	21,912,814	20,651,060
State	£	101,923,153	98,712,651
Commonwealth	£	31,167,413	29,810,444
Total	£	133,090,566	128,523,095
<u>GENERAL FINANCE - Bankrupts,</u>			
Schemes, etc.	No.	6	5
Assets	£	3,928	18,507
Liabilities	£	12,936	19,900
Real Estate - Mortgages			
Loans	£	3,142,700	3,769,900
Discharges	£	1,277,500	1,605,300
Property Transferred	£	6,733,550	6,711,600
<u>MOTOR REGISTRATIONS - New Vehicles-</u>			
Cars	No.	1,651	1,754
Commercial	No.	630	590
Cycles	No.	522	255
In use end of March			
Cars	No.	153,207	141,458
Commercial	No.	64,485	65,211
Cycles	No.	21,176	22,260
<u>WIRELESS LICENCES - New</u>	No.	1,544	1,245
In force	No.	227,171	221,804
<u>TELEPHONE CONNECTIONS - New</u>	No.	1,315	1,218
In force	No.	145,656	135,603
<u>ELECTRICITY GENERATED by Elec-</u>			
tricity Trust	KWH	94,844,180	90,704,940
<u>TRADE EXPORTS</u>	£A	7,414,922	9,895,397
<u>TRADE IMPORTS</u>	£A	6,373,335	6,909,805
<u>UNEMPLOYED, on benefit end of</u>			
month	No.	62	43
<u>WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS (Estimated)</u>		February '56	February '55
Factories	M.	71,200	69,400
	F.	17,200	16,500
Retail Stores	M.	12,600	12,100
	F.	13,100	12,400
Grand Total	M.	183,100	177,400
(ex. Rural, Domestic, Defence)	F.	63,600	59,900
	T.	246,700	237,300

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ACCUMULATED TOTALS

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Particulars		Three Months (Jan. - Mar.)	
		1956	1955
<u>VITAL</u> - Births Regd.	No.	4,413	4,308
Deaths Regd.	No.	1,561	1,546
Marriages	No.	1,699	1,519
Infantile Deaths	No.	80	95
<u>BUILDING PERMITS</u>			
By Metropolitan Municipalities—			
Dwellings	No.	1,298	1,395
	£	3,945,604	3,974,420
Other New Buildings	No.	169	143
	£	2,197,251	2,241,683
Additions etc.	No.	2,470	2,657
	£	1,047,938	839,439
Government	£	643,145	281,827
TOTAL VALUE	£	7,833,938	7,337,369
<u>GENERAL FINANCE</u> -			
Bankrupts, Schemes, etc.	No.	24	19
Assets	£	25,421	41,881
Liabilities	£	54,534	51,346
Real Estate - Mortgages -			
Loans	£	8,953,200	9,080,300
Discharges	£	3,465,500	3,849,300
Property Transferred	£	15,968,505	16,441,700
<u>MOTOR REGISTRATIONS</u> - New Vehicles—			
Cars	No.	3,805	3,931
Commercial	No.	1,544	1,415
Cycles	No.	522	583
<u>WIRELESS LICENCES</u> - New	No.	3,647	3,317
<u>TELEPHONE CONNECTIONS</u> - New	No.	3,836	3,053
<u>ELECTRICITY GENERATED</u> by Electricity Trust	KWH	260,513,180	245,273,340
		Nine Months (July - March)	
		1955-56	1954-55
<u>TRADE EXPORTS</u>	£A	66,409,068	75,889,737
<u>TRADE IMPORTS</u>	£A	49,570,092	48,962,575

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